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MEMORANDUM FOR: SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY OF  
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UNITED STATES ARMY  
DIRECTOR OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE  
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CHIEF OF STAFF, OPERATIONS, UNITED STATES  
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SUBJECT: An Ad Hoc Committee on Recent Atomic  
Developments

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1. It is believed desirable at this time to convene an Ad Hoc Committee to consider the consequences of the recent atomic developments in the USSR made up of representatives from the IAC Agencies which participate in the collection and production of such intelligence.

2. You are, therefore, requested to appoint a representative to serve on this Committee of which ☐ of the Office of Reports and Estimates, CIA, will be chairman.

3. Since this problem obviously involves considerations of extremely broad scope and implications, it is anticipated that the work of the committee may continue for an indefinite period, and it is hoped that all resources of the intelligence organizations of the Government will be placed at the disposal of this Committee.

4. Your representative may call ☐ to arrange details regarding the time and place of meeting.

Signed & dispatched thru ER 9/29/49

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